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# SEPTEMBER 2010 MORRILL MUSINGS

# **Recognize This Local Author?**

Who: Professor Charles Fanning

What: Book talk about Mapping Norwood: an Irish-American Memoir

When: Thursday, September 30, 10:30 a.m.-noon and 7:30-9 p.m.

Where: Simoni Room, 2nd floor of library

Why: Because Charles Fanning has written a wonderful coming-of-age story about growing up in Norwood!

Autographed copies of *Mapping Norwood* will be available for purchase. Sign up at the library for the morning or evening session or call 781-769-0200, x222.



## MORE NORWOOD AUTHORS TO VISIT...

On Tuesday, September 21 at 7 p.m. **MICHAEL H. CUNNINGHAM** and **VINCENT O'NEIL** will discuss their books and their writing careers. Mike Cunningham will focus on his book, *In Safe Hands: True Stories of Men and Women of the U.S. Customs and Border Protection.* Vincent O'Neil will talk about his three Florida Panhandle-based mysteries: *Murder in Exile, Reduced Circumstances,* and *Exile Trust*.

Autographed copies of the authors' books will available. Register now!

# HOLD THAT BOOK!

Some fiction bestsellers for October: Busy Body by M.C. Beaton, Playing the Game by Barbara Taylor Bradford, American Assassin by Vince Flynn, The Confession by John Grisham, Painted Ladies by Robert B. Parker, Trio of Sorcery by Mercedes Lackey, The Charming Quirks of Others by Alexander McCall Smith, and Our Kind of Traitor by John Le Carre.

### Some non-fiction bestsellers:

At Home: A Short History of Private Life by Bill Bryson, Conversations with Myself by Nelson Mandela, The Woman I Was Born to Be by Susan Boyle, Love, Lust & Faking It: by Jenny McCarthy, The Mob and Me by John Partington, Bloody Crimes by James L. Swanson, Just Like Someone Without Mental Illness Except More So by Mark Vonnegut, and Growing Up Laughing by Marlo Thomas.

You can **reserve these online NOW**. Sign up for our e-newsletter to receive direct links to pre-publication titles. Visit our website and click on *Request Bestsellers Early* under **Services**.

### **IILLIAN GOSS WINS SCHOLARSHIP**

Congratulations to **JILLIAN GOSS**, the 2010 recipient of the **Viola Sastavickas Memorial Scholarship.** This monetary award is given to an exemplary library employee or volunteer planning on furthering his or her education.

Jillian, 18, has worked at the Morrill Memorial Library for the past three years as a page. She has also helped out with children's craft programs in the summer. A recent graduate of Norwood High School, she will study nursing at UMass/Boston where she has been invited to join the Honors Program.

Jillian has many fond memories of coming to the library since she was a child, and not surprisingly, says reading is one of her favorite hobbies.

Good luck, Jillian!

# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Beginner Readers Drop-in Activity Time Wednesdays, 10-noon. Each week will feature a fun activity designed to help beginner readers with letter, sound, and sight word recognition.

Lucy the R.E.A.D. Dog Sat., Sept. 25, 10-10:45

### **Author's Birthday Celebration**

Grades K-3, Mon., September 27, 7-7:45 p.m. Each month we choose an author to celebrate, read some of their books, learn about their lives and create a special birthday library display.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE: www.norwoodlibrary.org

September Library Hours: Mondays through Thursdays 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Fridays 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturdays 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. beginning 9/11 Sundays: closed

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